

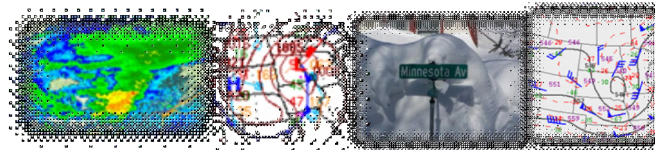


An effort to better  
understand the  
preception of  
Winter Storms

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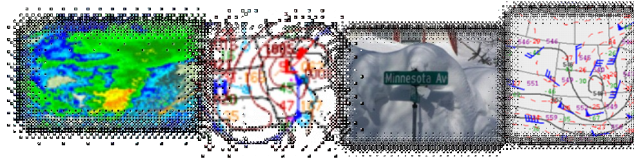
## What is the Post Storm Survey?

The Post Storm Survey (PSS) is a short online survey posted after a winter weather event to better understand the impact and public perception of the hazards associated with winter storms.

The survey was developed by Matt Taraldsen, a student at St. Cloud State University, under the guidance of Professors Anthony Hansen of Meteorology and Suzanne Stangl-Erkens of Communication Studies. Other contributors included meteorologists from the National Weather Service office in Duluth, Minnesota and members of the Weather and Society\*Integrated Studies (WAS\*IS) community.

The survey became operational in March 2008 and has spread to over 20 states by 2011.

Results of the survey are public and available online.



## Can I Take the Survey?

The survey will be available online after a winter storm ends for anyone to take at:

<http://crh.noaa.gov/dlh/?n=weatherandsociety>

The survey has been designed to be completed in just a few minutes. Simply click the link that pertains to the winter weather event that affected you. The survey will be active for 3 days after a winter storm.

A link to this site will be found on numerous weather related websites that have partnered with the project.

This site is managed by St. Cloud State University and will be updated regularly as new winter storms affect the upper Midwest.



## Contact Us

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## How Does it Work?

After a winter weather event occurs that requires any type of "warning" issued by the National Weather Service, a PSS team member will activate a link to the survey on the PSS homepage. Then, once a survey has been activated for 3 days following a storm's end, it will be taken off the PSS homepage by a PSS team member.

If there are no surveys available to take, the site will state to check back after the next storm.

## How Can I Become Involved?

Becoming a partner is very easy and takes just a few minutes.

If you are involved with a weather related public website, post a link to the Post Storm Survey homepage on your site and the Post Storm Survey team will do the rest! Please send an email to [poststormsurvey@gmail.com](mailto:poststormsurvey@gmail.com) to inform the PSS team you have become a partner.